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In re Application of

**H. Dean Goodson**

Examiner: **Allan R. Kuhns**

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Art Unit: **1732**

For: **THREAD PROTECTION SYSTEM WITH WEATHER BARRIER**

**AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 5, 2006, please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.

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